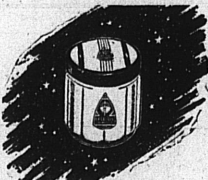


CATHOLIC PARTY THIS EVENING

Hostesses for this evening's Catholic card party are Mrs. Louis J. Smith and her committee. Mmes. Bray, Probert, Schmidt, Obale, Webb, James Carlin, Jr., and Miss Korena Carlin. Everyone is cordially invited. The first door prize will be awarded at 8 o'clock and games of contract and auction bridge, pinocle and 500 will begin immediately. Refreshments will be served.

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Club Women Sew For Nov. Bazaar At Members' Homes

Mrs. J. H. Moore, ways and means chairman for Torrance Woman's Club, entertained her committee at tea at her home on Gramercy ave. Thursday afternoon following an afternoon spent working on aprons and children's pinafores. In addition to the aprons and pinafores, many other beautiful articles will be sold at the club bazaar to be held Friday and Saturday, Nov. 3 and 4, in the patio of Mrs. W. I. Laughon's home, 1452 El Prado. Those present at Mrs. Moore's were Mmes. John Keefer, Fred Cooper, Fred Foster, George Sutton and W. F. Bartholomew. The home of Mrs. Fred E. Cooper, 1225 Beech ave., was another meeting place for club women who gathered to sew for the bazaar recently. Those present were Mmes. F. A. Covington, C. M. Crook, G. S. Evans, F. J. Farrell, W. A. Folker, W. H. Gilbert, W. H. Haslam and Frederick Foster. Refreshments were served. Each club member has been asked to contribute at least one article. Any of the following will be very acceptable: aprons, pot holders, clothes pin bags, clothes basket covers and children's clothes. Potted plants, home-made jellies and jams and home-canned fruits are suggestions for those who do not sew.

LATHAM-HOSKINS RITES ARE READ

Miss Dorothy, Louise Hoskins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Hoskins of Lomita, became the bride of Delbert Millard Latham in a ceremony performed last Sunday evening at Wayside Chapel, Harbor City. Given in marriage by her father, the bride was beautifully attired in a blue-gray suit with rose accessories, complemented by an orchid corsage. Miss Doris Hoskins, a sister of the bride, was her only attendant. She wore a gray suit with fuchsia accessories and a corsage of gardenias and red roses. H. A. Rice of San Pedro attended the bridegroom. A reception followed at the church parlors. Mrs. Latham will make her home with her parents while her husband is on active duty in Merchant Marine service.

ENROLLMENT DRIVE FOR JUNIOR RED CROSS

The annual drive for enrollment in American Junior Red Cross starts in elementary, junior and senior high schools in Torrance on Nov. 1.

The initial project on the Junior Red Cross program this fall is the preparation of Christmas decorations and cards for use in military hospitals here and in Red Cross clubs overseas. In addition, Juniors also are packing gift boxes to be opened by youngsters in newly-liberated European countries who have not had a visit from Santa Claus for several years.

Last year Red Cross Juniors of Los Angeles area produced 691,000 articles needed by the military and collected 184,000 more, as well as contributing \$70,000 to the 1944 Red Cross campaign fund last spring.

Five hundred and fifty-nine schools and 338,454 boys and girls were enrolled.

Owens-Crandell Wedding Rites At Lomita Church

In a ceremony performed Saturday evening at Community Presbyterian church, Lomita, Miss Virginia F. Crandell became the bride of Robert A. Owens of Lomita. Rev. John Orr officiated in the presence of 75 friends and relatives of the principals.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was lovely in white chiffon marquisette with fingertip veil and orange blossom. She carried an orchid, pale yellow rosebuds and bouvardia.

Mrs. Viola Stuetz, as matron of honor, wore tea rose chiffon and carried pink rosebuds and carnations. Mrs. Lynn Hale, a sister of the bridegroom, was bridesmaid. She wore a yellow gown and her flowers were Talisman roses, carnations and stock. Lynn Hale was the bridegroom's attendant and La Vern Jones, Frank Bolene and Cliff Kette ushered.

A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Crandell of 10338 S. Manhattan Place, Los Angeles. Subsequently Mr. and Mrs. Owens left for a brief honeymoon at Newport Beach. The bride was graduated from Torrance High school with the class of winter '39 and later conducted the Virginia Crandell Dancing School here. Her husband, a torpedoman, in Naval Aviation, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Owens of 2347 24th Place, Lomita. He arrived recently for a 30 days' delayed order leave.

CUB SCOUTS ENJOY VARIED ACTIVITIES

Among recent activities enjoyed by members of Den 3, Pack 241, Cub Scouts, was a swimming party at Biltmore plunge, Hermosa Beach, given to celebrate Donnie Fetherolf's 12th birthday.

Billy Disario's 12th birthday was the occasion for another enjoyable party, a wiener bake and games arranged by Mrs. Velora Murphy, den mother, at her Greenwood ave. home. Mrs. Hal Lauderman is assistant den mother. The boys were also admitted to National Supply Company for a tour of the plant recently, accompanied by Mrs. Murphy.

Instead of the customary pack meet a Halloween party will be held at St. Andrew's Guild hall Tuesday, Oct. 31.

P.T.A. LADIES AT GATEWAY MEETING

Representing Torrance High School P.T.A. at Gateway Council meeting held at Gardena recently were Mmes. Glenn Bell, L. F. Watson, A. C. Turner and Irene Davis.



MARRIED . . . In traditional white satin with sheer veil and carrying an orchid corsage, Vivian Wertalla was recently united in marriage with Lieut. A. Louis Schirilo, Army Air Force. Dr. Martin Brown, pastor of Wilshire Methodist church, officiated at the rites, read at Wee Kirk of the Heather, Glendale. Miss Lillian Prince of this city and Lieut. William J. Hartford of Muroc Field were the couple's attendants. At the time of the marriage, Lieut. Schirilo was stationed at Muroc Army Air Base where he served as a pilot.

KEYSTONE FAIR IS SIGNAL SUCCESS

The country fair held at the Woman's Clubhouse in Keystone, 127 E. 220th st., Saturday afternoon was an outstanding success. Upon request the doors were opened four hours earlier than had been announced to accommodate the many visitors who continued to arrive throughout the day and well into the evening. Receiving special attention were displays of Renaissance and Norwegian embroidery and hand-made quilts. It was demonstrated to Mrs. Charles Christianson and her committee that a country fair is an activity which elicits a strong response from residents of semi-rural Keystone and it is indicated that the club will continue this year's program as an annual affair.

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE PLAN HALLOWE'EN DANCE

Torrance Chapter, No. 44, Women of the Moose, announce that a \$25.00 war bond will be one of the door prizes to be given away at the Halloween dance which the lodge will sponsor at Moose Hall, 1951 Carson st., at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, Oct. 31. Other door prizes and prizes for costumes will also be awarded. The committee states that it will not be necessary to come costumed. Tickets are now on sale. Everyone is invited. Signed: Eva Mae MacArthur, publicity chairman.

NEW SCHOOL SERVES ADJACENT AREA

A parent-teacher preorganization meeting was held recently at Rocha Elementary school, 110 Sepulveda blvd., Wilmington. The school has been recently built to accommodate the need of two large building projects in that area. Mrs. Marvin Owen, director of extension for Tenth District, and Mrs. R. V. Hauser, district elementary service chairman, conferred with Miss Gladys Hansen, principal, who called the meeting at the request of the parents. Plans were made for formal organization Tuesday, Dec. 5. The new organization will be a member of Gardena-Wilmington Council.

NAVY MOTHERS TO HOLD FOOD SALE FRIDAY

Little Hills Navy Mothers Club, No. 157, will sponsor a food sale to be held on Navy Day, Friday, October 27, beginning at 9 a.m. The Torrance sale will be held at the entrance to the Levy Department store, 1311 Sartori ave., and in Lomita the ladies will conduct their sale at the entrance to the Hugo Schmidt market. Donations of baked goods and cooked foods from friends of the Navy Mothers Club will be greatly appreciated. Proceeds will be used to supply Christmas cheer for boys serving in outlying posts.

In conjunction with the National clubs' efforts, Torrance and Lomita mothers will send packages to be distributed to boys in the Aleutians and other outlying areas. Those who will serve on the nominating committee were chosen at a meeting Friday evening; they include Mmes. J. J. Marriott, E. M. Stack, H. W. Slover, John Lovell and A. L. Elder. The committee's report will be given at a special meeting to be held at Mrs. Marriott's home Sunday, Oct. 29. Election will be held Nov. 17.

Girl Scout Group Arranges Meeting For This Evening

There will be a neighborhood meeting of all the adults connected with the Girl Scout program Thursday, Oct. 26, at 7 p.m. in the lecture room at Torrance library. Mrs. Olive Dickson, district director, will be present to help coordinate the activities of the local troops with the Los Angeles Council methods. An effort will be made to organize a new intermediate Girl Scout troop and Brownie troop to provide for the girls who have expressed a wish to join Girl Scout groups in the survey recently conducted by Torrance Service Center.

SON IS BORN SUNDAY TO J. H. RITCHIE

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Ritchie of 714 Madrid ave. are the proud parents of their second child, a son, William Sterling Hall Ritchie, born Sunday at Herriman-Jones hospital, Long Beach. Mrs. Jones says no visitors, no flowers, but promises her friends that she will be at home after Nov. 1. The baby's father is a dental technician at 1337 El Prado, and his mother in the former Charlotte Gotts. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Gotts of 1321 W. 218th st.

ARMY HOSPITAL ITEMS NEEDED

A portable phonograph and portable organ to be used in entertaining Birmingham General hospital, Van Nuys, patients head a list of items being sought by Red Cross camp and hospital committee of the Los Angeles chapter. It was announced this week. Also needed are straight chairs, tables and floor lamps. Anyone desiring to donate any of these articles is asked to telephone Mrs. Alice Ruppel, camp and hospital chairman, at Torrance 344.

Torrance is represented at this hospital by Miss Bertha Fix, an army nurse, and by John W. Delano of 2567 Sonoma ave., a patient, and others.

ATTEND GAME

Among those seen at the Washington-U.S.C. game at the coliseum Monday evening were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ambach, Mr. and Mrs. Larry MacArthur, James Barker, all of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Palmatier of Gardena.

Mrs. Milo Reid Is Complimented At Many Showers

Among the many post-natal courtesies extended to Mrs. Milo Reid, the former Edna Mullin, was a miscellaneous shower Wednesday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. C. A. Curtiss. Following an evening devoted to preparing a unique recipe book for the recent bride and other diversion, refreshments were served at a buffet table, colorful with an arrangement of marigolds. Guests were Mmes. R. E. Satchell, D. W. Quigley, Steve Schmidt, T. T. Babbitt, C. L. Ingold, Douglas B. Collins, Roland F. Sanderhoff, Paul Vonderahe, the Misses Katherine Mullin, Rosa and Katherine Orman, Eileen and Korena Carlin.

Another lovely shower for Mrs. Reid followed a tamale pie supper given recently at the home of Mrs. Fred E. Cooper, who was assisted by Mrs. W. E. Bowen. Guests were members of Torrance National Business and Professional Women's Club.

CLUB MEMBERS MEET WITH DAPHNE JONES

The home of Mrs. Daphne Landreth Jones was a setting for an enjoyable party Wednesday evening of last week when bridge club members were entertained. Red roses were used to decorate the rooms and refreshments were served at the close of the play. Mrs. Caroline Michaels was a club guest and prize-winners were Mmes. Ina Mae Maupin and Adeline Miller.

P.T.A. COUNCIL TO MEET FRIDAY

The October meeting of the Lomita-San Pedro Council, P.T.A., will be held at 9:45 a.m. Friday, Oct. 27, at Seventh Street school, San Pedro. Mrs. M. C. Isaacson will preside.

There will be a speaker on legislation and reports will be given by the chairmen of publicity, music and health.

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